THE TWENTY-FIRST

NNUAL REPORT

- OF THE -

BRITISH COLUMBIA

rotestant Orphans' Home

HILLSIDE AVENUE, VICTORIA, B. C.

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d at the Annual Meeting held in the City Hall, Victoria, B. C., January 30th, 1894, F. H. Warlock, Esq., in the Chair.

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ANNUAL REPORT

FOR 1893.

RESENTED AT THE ANNUAL MEETING, JAN. 30th, 1894.

N submitting the Twenty-first Annual Report of the British Columbia Protestant Orphans' Home to our bscribers, we have again to acknowledge the conued liberal support of our many friends to our instition.

The past year has been a memorable one to all conected with our Home, seeing that it has witnessed the ection and completion of our new building at Hillside, handsome and substantial structure, which we hope ll prove a true, real and happy home for the orphan d destitute children of our Province, for very many ars to come.

Our friends will remember that we were enabled to rry out this desirable object through the benevolence the late John George Taylor, who bequeathed his ate, amounting to $30,358.00, to our institution, and the will of God, it came to us just at a time when r accommodation was so limited that we were unable see our way to provide for the increased number of ldren requiring our care. The late J. G. Taylor will

always be regarded as the greatest benefactor to our institution, and his memory will be revered for all time by those connected with our Home.

The corner stone of our new building was laid by the Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. Masons of the Province, on the 24th of June, and the Home was formally dedicated by the Right Rev. Bishop Cridge, opened and occupied on the 18th November last ; the great interest of the public was shewn by the very large attendance on both these occasions.

Your Committee confidently expect that the increasing interest of the public, will lead to a constantly increasing number of subscribers, to meet the expenses necessary for the carrying out of our work ; your Committee feel that the time will never come when they will ask in vain for funds necessary to carry on a home for those little ones whom it has pleased the Almighty to deprive of their natural protectors.

The Committee are still fortunate in having the services of Mrs. Walker, as Matron, the management of the Home by this lady being excellent.

The Ladies' Committee have had a great deal of extra work during the past year, and our hearty thanks are due to them for their unwearied exertions.

The thanks of your Committee are due to Dr. G. L. Milne, for his professional services when required, which are always given most readily, and as heretofore, gratuitously ; we are glad to report that the children are all enjoying good health. Our thanks are also due to Dr. T. J. Jones, for his kind and gratuitous services.

Many kind friends have contributed clothing, provi-
ons, fruit, vegetables, etc., for which, in addition to
e cash subscriptions acknowledged elsewhere, your
ommittee return their grateful thanks.

Full particulars of Receipts and Expenditures will
found in the Treasurer's Report appended; our
ecretary's Report is also full of interesting matter.
conclusion, the Committee desire to render thanks to
od for the great prosperity He has been pleased to
ant to the institution, and hope that every effort made
r the care of the orphan and destitute children under
r charge may receive His blessing.

FRED'K H. WORLOCK,
President.

ICTORIA, B. C., Jan. 30th, 1894.

TREASURER'S STATEMENT, 1893.

RECEIPTS.

To Net proceeds of legacy of the late John Geo. Taylor	$30,358 00	
Net proceeds of loan, $7,000.00	6,960 25	
		$37,318
Balance on hand from last year	2,103 79	
Subscriptions	1,111 30	
" Nanaimo, per Mr. Robins	405 85	
Collection at laying foundation stone	263 55	
" at opening new Home	84 95	
Sale of work, per C. Vernon, Esq	100 00	
Entertainment, St. Paul's, S.S., net proc'ds	204 10	
" Sons of Erin, "	131 15	
" Acme Lodge, gross proc'ds	68 25	
Donation, Orange Ass'n, N. W., per Rev. Dr. Reid	26 55	
Donation, Orange Ass'n, Dewdney, per Mr. Barker	6 40	
Donation, R. McKay Fripp	50 00	
" Plasterer's Union, per R. Sellick	19 75	
Legacy on account $500, bequeathed by the late M. W. Waitt	350 00	
Collected by Miss McMicken	12 00	
Discount on accounts paid by Treasurer Ladies' Committee	10 00	
Interest	500 89	
Rent	165 80	
Refund of deposit on site	100 00	
Refund of water service	30 00	
Sundries	9 00	
Board of children	647 55	
Sales of Merchandise	10 85	
		6,411
		$43,72

EXPENDITURE.

Site of new Home, $12\frac{40}{100}$ acres	$12,500 00	
New Home, including contract price, extras, architect's com'n, clerk of works, wages and charges for installation of electric light	23,082 45	
New Home, including improvement of grounds, furniture, insurance, taxes, lumber, range, printing, teaming, plans and sundries	2,642 60	
		$38,225 05
Salary of Matron, 10th Dec, '92, till 10th Jan. '94, 13 months at $40	520 00	
Salary of teacher, 12 months at $12.50	150 00	
Wages of servant	240 00	
Wages of nurse	100 00	
Additional servants' wages	72 00	
Monthly supply bills	1,583 95	
Additional supplies	35 00	
Plumbing, etc	70 77	
Painting, etc. (2 years)	143 35	
Carpenter work	136 57	
Scavenger	114 50	
Insurance	30 00	
Acme entertainment, expended	89 25	
Interest	42 75	
Professional services, Mr. Fripp	50 00	
Water, $6.00; Funeral Charges, $27.50	33 50	
Rent, $70.00; Labor, $19.25	89 25	
Sundries	39 00	
Balance on hand	1,965 04	
		5,504 93
		$43,729 98
Balance on hand	$1,965 04	

VICTORIA, 29th Jan., 1894.

I hereby certify that I have carefully examined the books and accounts of the B. C. Protestant Orphans' Home for the years ending 31st December, 1892 and 1893, and checked the cash payments with the vouchers therefor, and found the same correct.

W. H. MASON, *Auditor.*

TREASURER'S STATEMENT, 1892.

RECEIPTS.

To Balance from last year	$ 2,607
Board of Children	877
Legacy late A. A. Green	500
Donation, Messrs. Cuthbert & Warner	12
Interest to 31st Dec	676
Rent to 31st Dec	131
Collection, per Ladies' Committee	106
Subscriptions	873
	$ 5,784

EXPENDITURE.

By Monthly bills	$ 1,183
Salary of Matron	480
Servants' wages	277
Tuition	140
Refuge Home	95
Insurance	10
Furniture	107
Coal, Coke and Wood	205
Gas, $94.40; Water, $18.00	117
Taxes on Rae Street property	198
Rent cottage on Blanchard Street	37
Plumbing, $83.55; Printing, $65.50	149
Carpenter work, $68.62; Scavenger, $100.00	168
Supplies, $73.50; Sundries, $42.00	115
Monument to the late J. G. Taylor	150
Taxes, proportion of	51
Law expenses paid Yates & Jay for services in connection with legacy	95
Deposit on purchase (since refunded)	100
Balance on hand	2,103
	$ 5,784

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HONORARY SECRETARY'S REPORT.

The closing year has been an eventful one, but hout doubt, the most encouraging during the whole iod of the institution's existence. It has seen the nmencement, completion, and occupancy of our New me, built on a magnificent site, designed primarily for hundred children, but capable of accommodating rly double that number, and involving the expendi- e of over $38,000; and this has been done without urring any serious liability, or impairing in any way the fulness of the Home. Happily the additional labors responsibilities of all the officers during the past year, e been made as light as possible, by the consideration wn to them, and by the harmony prevailing amongst various committees.

Five applications for admission have been recently roved by the Reception Committee, and these chil- n will doubtless take their places in the Home in a few s. A large and increasing number of applications being received, many of whom are recent residents the adjoining state, and not a few of the children e both parents living. These last are admitted only cept in rare cases) as pay inmates, but the difficulties etofore existing in collecting the amounts due, have essitated the greatest caution in considering this s of applicants. In some instances outside relief been granted in preference to taking the chance of manently burdening the subscribers, with what prop- belongs elsewhere.

The total number of children provided with a home ing the year was 59.

Number of inmates at last report.....
Admitted during the year.....

Died..... 0
Placed at service..... 2
Taken out..... 11

Total now in the Home.....

Consisting of 24 girls and 22 boys.

An analysis of the Treasurer's statement show gratifying state of things. The subscriptions, etc., the year (without reference to the Taylor legacy or interest from its temporary investment) is the largest our history, amounting in round figures to $3,7 The expenditure for maintenance during the same peri amounted to about $3,500. This makes the cost each child for the year a trifle under $77 each. economical a result has been attained mainly by the ertions of the Ladies' Committee, who, assisted by host of friends with needlework, clothing, provision etc., have thus been enabled to keep down the workin expenses to so satisfactory a point. The total cost the new site, buildings, etc., to the end of the financ year, amounts to $38,225.05. Some necessary ex buildings and fences, now in course of construction, t improvement of the grounds, and some additions furniture, will cost probably about $800 or $ more. To meet this expenditure it was found nece sary to obtain a loan of $7,000, bearing interest at per cent., but as against this we have the old proper on Rae street, consisting of three full lots and a su stantial building now rented at $40 per month. Th

perty is deemed by competent judges to be more n sufficient to pay off all our indebtedness, as soon as pportune time arrives for its sale. It may there- be fairly stated, that the new building is completed, fully equipped for its noble work, without any in- brance whatever, and it is not too much to me, that the generous public of the Province may, eretofore, be safely relied upon, to provide the com- atively small amount necessary for its yearly main- nce.

Appended hereto will be found the names of the scribers (e. & o. e.) as appears in the Treasurer's k for the years 1892 and 1893, a list of the donors various contributions to the Home as noted by the tron in her monthly reports for 1893, the names of the Children now in the Home and some other items nterest.

In conclusion permit me to congratulate the mem- s on the splendid condition of affairs as shown by reports, and also on the judicious realization of the lor estate, thereby enabling your Committee to per- uate his memory by providing a Home, which day by , is now contributing something to the sum total of nan happiness. I have also to express the hope, that Committee of Management tc be elected to-night have as prosperous and as happy a year's work, as s been our privilege to enjoy.

CHAS. HAYWARD,
Honorary Secretary.

uary 30th, 1894.

SUBSCRIBERS FOR 1892-3.

	1892.	18
Anderson, A. G. & Co.	$ 2 50	$
Allice & Ault	2 50	2
Austin, J. J	1 50	..
Aaronson, A	1 00	1
Atkins, Mrs. W	....	2
Burns, G. H	5 00	5
Berryman, R. H	5 00	5
Boucherat & Co	5 00	..
Bornstein, H	1 00	1
Broderick, Wm	2 00	..
B. C. Land & Investment Agency	20 00	20
Brown Bros. (groceries)	5 00	5
Barnsley, John	2 00	1
Bullen, W. H. F	5 00	..
Blackwood, E. E	2 50	2
Braverman, J	2 00	2
Baker, R. & Son	2 50	2
Bechtel, A. J	2 50	..
Belyea & Gregory	10 00	10
Brackman & Ker	10 00	10
Burgess, J. P	3 00	2
Burns, Jas	5 00	..
Brownlee, J. H	5 00	..
Burnes, T. J	5 00	5
Beaven, Robt. (donation)	5 00	5
Bickford, Mrs	....	0
Byrnes, George	....	5
Browne, Rev. M. C	....	5
Brown, R. A. (sundries)	5 00	5
Bodwell, E. V	....	4
Burt, Mrs	....	1
Baker, E. Crow	5 00	5
Cridge, Bishop and Mrs	5 00	5
Corporation City of Victoria	25 00	25
Croft, Henry	10 00	5
Caton, J. A. T. & Co	2 50	....

	1892.	1893.
ke & Pearson	$ 2 50	$ 2 50
wford, J	1 00	....
pbell, D. E. & Co	2 50	2 50
	....	5 00
eron, Chas. (groceries)	5 00	5 00
fornia Wine Co	2 00	....
all, W. D	2 00	1 00
rihue, J. & A	5 00	5 00
eron, Wm	2 50	....
e & Munsie	5 00	....
, Samuel	2 50	....
, W	2 50	2 50
nist Printing Co	10 00	10 00
loner & Mitchell	....	2 50
se, L	....	1 00
se, H. P. P. Hon	....	6 00
ntrell, J. B	5 00	5 00
art, J	....	2 50
rane & Munn	....	2 00
e, F., jr	....	5 00
e, J. E. & Co	....	5 00
an, M. H., Mrs	....	2 00
dley, Wm., Mrs	....	3 00
ke, Capt. W	5 00	....
e, Jackson & Helmcken	15 00	15 00
es, Joshua	2 50	....
idge, F. C. & Co	3 00	....
Cosmos, A	2 50	....
erty, John	6 00	6 00
ler, W. J	2 50	2 50
, R. H	....	5 00
rl Hotel	5 75	3 00
levy, P	....	5 00
ny, W	....	6 30
e & Cassidy	....	5 00
e, Hon. M. W. T	....	5 00
ont, Major C. T	....	20 00
in, Edward B. (in memory of)	....	10 00

	1892.	1893.
Earle, Thomas, M. P	$10 00	$20 00
Elworthy, F	5 00	2 50
Erskine, A. B	3 00	5 00
Eberts & Taylor	5 00	....
Erskine, Wall & Co	....	5 00
Elford, J. P	....	2 50
Elford, T	....	2 50
Findlay, Durham & Brodie	10 00	10 00
Flewin, Thomas	2 00	1 00
Friends	....	0 75
Flint & Williams	5 00	....
Field, Wm	....	1 00
Fullerton, John	2 50	2 50
Fell & Co	10 00	10 00
Fannin, John	....	2 50
Flumerfelt, A. C. (2 cases rubbers)	....	....
Green, Worlock & Co	25 00	25 00
Gray, A. B	5 00	....
Galletly, A	5 00	5 00
Gordon, B	5 00	....
Goodacre, L	5 00	5 00
Gilmore & McCandless	5 00	5 00
Graham, A	2 50	....
Heisterman & Co	10 00	10 00
Higgins, D. W	5 00	5 00
Henderson, T. M	5 00	....
Henderson, J. N	5 00	....
Holmes, A	1 50	1 50
Hart, J. J	1 50	2 00
Hibben & Co	5 00	5 00
Harrison & McAlister	5 00	5 00
Horner, J. & Co	2 50	2 50
Hall, R	2 50	5 00
Helmcken, Hon. J. S	15 00	15 00
Helmcken, Dr. J. D	5 00	5 00
Hutcheson, J. & Co	5 00	5 00
Hudsons' Bay Co	....	10 00

	1892.	1893.
Haughton, Thos	$....	$ 2 50
Hayward, Chas. & Mrs	5 00	10 00
Hargreaves, Geo	5 00	5 00
Hall, T. B. & Co	....	10 00
Hall, H. G	....	2 50
Hall, Rev. J	....	2 50
Irving, Robt	....	1 50
Isaacs, A	....	1 00
Jones, Dr. T. L	5 00	5 00
Jamieson, R. H	....	5 00
Jeffrey, W. J	2 50	2 50
Johnson, J. & Co	2 50	....
Jones & Bridgman	5 00	5 00
Jay, George, jr	2 50	2 50
Johnson, Edwin	10 00	....
Johnson, E. M	....	5 00
Jewell, Henry	....	3 00
Jamieson, R	5 00	....
Kerr & Begg	1 00	....
Kelly, S. L	2 00	....
Kinnaird, W	....	1 00
Kent, Chas	5 00	5 00
Langley, A. J	20 00	20 00
Lawson, J. H	5 00	5 00
Lubbe, Theo	10 00	10 00
Lenz & Leiser	5 00	5 00
Leiser, S	5 00	5 00
Lange, W. G	5 00	5 00
Lombard, C	2 50	....
Lewis, Lewis	2 00	1 00
Lockhart, C. B	5 00	....
Lettice, R	2 50	....
Lilley, H. A	5 00	5 00
Lovell, J. B	10 00	10 00
Lowe, Skene	....	2 00
London and Canadian Insurance Co	...	10 00
Lewis, Mrs. Capt	....	2 50

	1892.	1893.
Marvin, E. F & Co	$ 5 00	$ 5 00
Milne, A. E	5 00	5 00
McDonal[illegible] A	2 50	....
Matthews, J. P. & Co	5 00	....
M[illegible] Holland & Co	5 00	2 50
Munro & Hughes (groceries)	5 00	5 00
M. [illegible] Mann	5 00	5 00
Mann & [illegible]ron	2 50	....
Marboeuf, L	3 00	2 00
Mansell, Hy	2 50	2 50
Maynard [illegible]	1 00	1 00
Mitchell, [illegible]s	5 00	....
McDonald, Mrs. A	....	2 50
Morris, E. A	....	2 50
McKeon & Son	5 00	2 50
More, A. W. & Co	....	2 50
McPhillips, Wootton & Barnard	....	5 00
Morison, G	....	2 50
McLennan & McFeely	....	5 00
McCulloch, W. A	....	2 50
Macrae, Mrs. D. (Rev.)	....	5 00
Mackenzie, W. G	....	5 00
McLachlan Bros	2 00	2 50
Morley, C	....	2 50
McMillan, J. E	....	5 00
McQuade & Son	5 00	....
McLellan, A. J	5 00	....
Mouatt, Mrs	....	1 25
McDonald, Hon. W. J	....	20 00
Nicholles & Renouf	5 00	5 00
Northcotte, W. W	5 00	5 00
Norris, F	....	2 50
Nicholson, J	....	1 00
Newbury, J. C	....	2 50
Prior, E. G. & Co	10 00	10 00
Pemberton & Son	5 00	5 00
Piercy, J. & Co	2 50	2 50

	1892.	1893.
Powers, M	$ 5 00	$ 5 00
Powell, G	2 [illegible]	1 00
Phoenix, J	5 00	....
Pearson, T. B	5 00	5 00
Phillips Bros	2 50	....
Page & Winnett	2 50	....
Porter, R. & Sons	2 50	50
Pearse, B. W	25 00	20 00
Phibbs, John (Cariboo)	2 00	2 00
P. P. P	....	2 50
Pendray, W	....	10 00
Pither & Leiser	....	5 00
Parker, John	....	5 00
Partridge, John	....	2 50
Pferdner, E	....	10 00
Russell, Jas. M	....	10 00
Rithet, R. P. & Co	25 00	25 00
Ross, Dixi & Co	10 00	....
Redfern, C. E	5 00	5 00
Rutland, H	1 00	....
Reid, Rev. John	5 00	....
Riley, Mrs	5 00	5 00
Reid, Samuel	....	5 00
Richardson, G. A. & Co	....	2 50
Raymur, Mrs	....	2 50
Reed, E. Baines	....	1 00
Russell, G	....	2 50
Strouss, C. & Co	5 00	....
Steele, P	5 00	5 00
Shakespeare, N	2 50	2 50
Switzer & McCloskey	2 50	2 50
Sayward Mill Co	5 00	5 00
Saunders, Henry	5 00	5 00
Shotbolt, T	5 00	5 00
Salmon, H. L	1 00	....
Sayward, W. P	6 00	6 00
Shears, W	2 50	2 50

	1892.	1893.
Shore & Anderson	$ 1 50	$....
Sehl, J	2 50	5 00
Sommers, J	2 50	2 50
Snowden, N. P	....	5 00
Smith, W. J	....	2 50
Speed Bros	....	2 50
Spencer, D	....	5 00
Spring, Mrs	....	2 00
Turner, J. H. & Co	10 00	10 00
Todd, J. H. & Co	5 00	20 00
Thomson, C. R. W	5 00	....
Tye, T	5 00	5 00
Thain, E. J	2 50	....
Tugwell, T	2 50	....
Tolmie & Stewart	5 00	....
Thompson, Geo	....	2 50
Templeman, W	....	5 00
Victoria Transfer Co	10 00	10 00
Vincent, V. W	....	5 00
Victoria Brewing Co	....	5 00
Williams, Ben	....	5 00
Worlock, F. H	10 00	10 00
Warren, Capt. J. D	5 00	5 00
Walls, J. P	2 50	....
Waitt, Mrs	5 00	2 50
Weiler Bros	5 00	10 00
Williams, R. T	5 00	2 50
Williams, B. & Co	5 00	5 00
Walker, W	2 00	2 50
Wilson, W. & J	5 00	5 00
Wilson, J. Major	5 00	5 00
Waterson, H. G	1 00	1 00
Wilson Bros	5 00	5 00
Wilson, Wm. & Co	5 00	5 00
Waller, Henry	22 50	5 00
Walker, Mrs. M	....	6 00
Willie, J	....	2 00

	1892.	1893.
Wilmot, E. A.	$....	$ 2 50
Wilson, A. & W ('92, '93)	....	20 00
Walkem, Hon. G. A.	....	5 00
Wootton, S. Y	....	1 00
Yates, Jas. S.	5 00	5 00
Young, M. & L	2 00	1 00
Young, D. R.	2 50	....

NANAIMO SUBSCRIBERS.

A. J. McMurtrim	$ 1 00
Robt. Scott	5 00
T. D. McLean (Union)	50
J. McPhee (Comox)	1 00
A. E. Planta	2 50
W. K. Leighton	5 00
Friend	50
Friend	50
Chas. R. Hardy	5 00
Caldwell & Lewis	5 00
Geo. Hewson	1 50
Friend	1 00
Cash	50
R. Hindmarsh	1 00
Cash	50
J. H. Pleaco	5 00
W. H. Morton	1 00
Geo. A. B. Hall	2 50
Orr & Rendell	2 50
Friend	50
W. Campbell	50
E. McNeil	50
J. Ganner	50
H. McAdie	50
Hull Bros. & Co.	3 00
Jas. Bennett	1 00
W. M. Hilbert	2 00
Friend	50
Friend	$ 50
J. H. Cocking	1 00
J. Morello	50
A. Raper	2 00
A. Proctor	1 00
A. Haslam	50 00
Cash	1 00
W. H. Thompson	2 50
W. N. Scoville	2 50
Geo. Norris	2 50
Jenkin Bros	2 50
W. S. Sunto	50
B. H. Presley	1 00
M. Bate, jr	2 50
Jno. Shaw	1 50
E. Pimbury & Co	2 50
A. R. Exley	2 50
J. Sampson	1 00
Friend	50
T. L Browne	1 00
W. H. S. Perkins	1 00
P. G. Brodie	50
Friend	1 00
J. Marfao	50
J. Knarston	50
S. W. Lobb	2 00
W. R. Bryant	2 00
R. Kenyon	50

Mrs. Percival	$ 50
Moses Woodburn	50
Mrs. C. C. McKenzie	2 50
A. R. Johnston & Co.	5 00
John Renwick	1 00
Sam Drake	1 00
W. J. Spear	50
W. B. Dennison	1 00
New Vancouver Coal Co.	100 00
Saml. M. Robins	50 00
L. Manson	2 50
Mrs. J. Malpass	1 00
Mrs. M. Devlin	50
G. Foster	50
Mrs. C. Wilson	50
Mrs. A. Willey	1 00
T. Boyce	25
Mrs. H. Biggs	50
Mrs. D. Ferguson	50
Leask & Wilson	1 00
Sloan & Scott	2 00
H. Gordon	1 00
Friend	50
Hemans & Walmsley	2 00
D. C. McKenzie	1 00
J. H. McMillan	25
W. W. Baer	2 00
Mrs. A. Galloway	1 00
Wm. Jarvis	1 00
R. Lukey	50
T. W. Keller	50
F. S. Hussey	4 00
Jos. Richards	2 50
Geo. Williams	2 50
P. E. Larss	50
J. H. Davidson	50
Capt. Gordon, S. A.	1 00
Geo. Hay	50
Friend	25
Wm. Sconse	$1 00
Chas. Deeming	1 00
Friend	50
Jas. Pender	1 00
S. Wilcox	1 25
Mrs. J. Lowden	75
N. Harvey	50
John Bell	1 00
Friend	25
Wm. Sheppard	50
Wm. McGregor	5 00
Wm. Wall	2 50
A. R. Heyland	2 50
John Thompson	2 00
Cash	1 00
A. V. Watson	2 50
W. H. Pywell	50
Wm. Keith	2 00
A. H. Horne	2 50
J. S. Stannard	1 50
A. Hamilton	1 00
J. Brown, per Miss Rummings	10 00
F. Rice	25
C. Matatral	50
Friend	25
A. Keithley	35
W. Jones	1 00
Friend	50
R. Williamson	50
Rev. McRae	2 00
Capt. W. Berndt	5 00
Mrs. J. Ramsay	1 00
T. Morgan	1 00
J. E. R. Tagart	2 50
Wm. Battson	2 00
Wm. Anderson	50
Friend	25
Lewis Jones	1 00

F. Wagstaff	$ 50	M. Hamburger	$ 1 00
A. Berteause	50	Jno. Bain	1 00
Ben Griffiths	50	Colin McDonald	1 50
E. Tunnah	25	C. W. Durrant	25
Sam McKane	1 00	Wm. Fenton	75
A Johnson	25	W. B. Ferguson	1 00
Friend	50	H. Greensfelder	50
Friend	25	J. McGregor	2 00
Mrs. Wm. Bailey	1 00	D. Stevenson	1 00
John Carstairs	50		
Friend	1 00	Total	$405 85

Total subscriptions for 1892 and 1893, including $12 collected by Miss McMicking	$1,997 05
Nanaimo subscriptions	405 85
Total	$2,402 90

SPECIAL DONATIONS AND BEQUESTS.

1883	A Masonic purse	$ 250 00
1888	Richard Carr, legacy	250 00
	J. Bangs, legacy	250 00
	Robert Dunsmuir, donation	250 00
1889	John Boyd, legacy	250 00
	Thomas Innes, legacy	106 75
1890	A friend, donation	1,000 00
	Mrs. E. E. Hitchcock, legacy	200 00
1892	A. A. Green, legacy	500 00
1893	John George Taylor, estate	30,358 00
	M. W. Waitt, legacy	500 00

APPENDICES.

DONATIONS.

JANUARY, 1893.

Cakes, bread and sandwiches, A.O.U.W., No. 7, Victoria West, per Joseph Bland.
Cakes, St. John's Sunday school, per Mrs. Hawton.
Ice cream, Mrs. Foster.
Cakes, Victoria Lodge No 1, and Dominion Lodge No. 4, I.O.O.F.
Dripping, The Hall.
Seven bottles raspberry jam, Mrs. Worlock.
Buttons, Mrs. Hutcheson.

FEBRUARY, 1893.

Milk, Mr. Knowles.
Child's dress, Mrs. Carter.
Clothing, Mrs. Christie.
Provisions, Chief of Police, per Mr. Hooper.

MARCH, 1893.

Haircutting 45 children, Mr. Webber, Fort street.
Child's cot, Mrs. Earle.
Milk daily, Mr. Knowles.
Vegetables, Mrs. Hutcheson.
Clothing, Mrs. Christie.
Child's bicycle, hoops, boots and umbrellas, Mrs. Goodacre.
Clothing, Mrs. James Angus.
Cakes, The Daughters of England.

APRIL, 1893.

Cakes, oranges and meat, the Samaritan Home Ball Committee.
Milk daily, Mr. Knowles.
Milk, Mr. Rogers.
Baby buggy, Miss Ellinor Hannington.
Cheese, dripping and pickles, Mr. Jack.
Baby buggy, Mrs. Raymur.
Clothing, Mrs. Carter.
Clothing, Mrs Rich'd Drake.

MAY, 1893.

Clothing, Mrs. Mantel.
Milk and clothing, Mrs. Carter.
Milk, Mr. Rogers.
Milk daily, Mr. Knowles.
Clothing and toys, Mrs. Baille Groman.
Rhubarb and jam, Mrs. Worlock.
Flowers, the Cathedral Sunday School.
Clothing, Mrs. Jorand.
Cakes and meat, I.O.O.F.
Clothing, Mrs. Christie.
Milk daily, Mr. Rogers.
Clothing, Mrs. Powell.

JUNE, 1893.

Clothing, Mrs. James Todd.
Ice cream, Mr. Lewtas.
Boots, Mrs. Hutcheson.
Oranges and strawberries, Mrs. Carter.
Clothing, Mrs. W. J. Williams.
Clothing, Mrs. Christie.
Bicycle and toys, Master Tubb.
Samples, Mrs. Hutcheson.
55 loaves of bread and cakes, the Knights of Pythias.
Invitation to St. Andrew's and Caledonia picnic.
Invitation to St. Andrew's Sunday School picnic.
Milk daily, Mr. Knowles.
Milk, Mr. Rogers.

JULY, 1893.

Clothing, a friend.
Cake, ladies of the First Presbyterian Church.
Clothing, Mrs. Goodacre.
20 hats, Mr. T. S. Bone.
Box of strawberries, a friend.
Cake, Mrs. F. Adams.
Vegetables, a friend.
Clothing, Mrs. Christie.
Clothing, Mrs. Spencer.
Clothing, H. E. Campbell.
Milk, Mr. Knowles.
Black currants, Mrs. Higgins.

AUGUST, 1893.

Dripping, Mrs. Carne, Angel Hotel.
Rhubarb, Mrs. Gillespie, Fort street.
Cakes and bread, W. C. T. U.
Cakes and meat, Tennis Club ball.
Vegetables, a friend.
Pair of shoes, Mrs. R. A. Brown.
Clothing, Mrs. Carne.
Haircutting 40 children, Mr. Webber.
Two doz. loaves, a friend.
Surveying, Geo. Hargreaves.

SEPTEMBER, 1893.

Barrel of apples, Mrs. A. C. McLellan.
Box of grapes, Messrs. J. & A. Clearihue.
Basket of plums, Mr. Jack.
Vegetables, Mrs. Blackwood.
Clothing and magazines, Mrs. Wise.
Box of grapes, Messrs. J. & A. Clearihue.
Fruit, ladies of the First Presbyterian Church, per Mrs. Dr. Campbell.
Steel, Mr. Prior.
Cakes, True Blue Good Templars.

OCTOBER, 1893.

Vegetables, Mrs. Blackwood.
Dripping, Mrs. Carne.
Clothing, Mrs. Burns.
12 bottles cod liver oil emulsion, Messrs. Davis & Lawrence Co., Ltd., per T. Shotbolt.
Three sacks of apples, Mrs. W. M. Chudley.

Invitation from the ladies of St. Luke's Church, to harvest festival.
Codfish, Mr. Cohun.
Clothing, Mrs. Renouf.
Socks, Mrs. E. M. Johnson.

NOVEMBER, 1893.

Nine pairs home-knitted stockings, Mrs. Brocklehurst.
Cakes, Christian Endeavor Society of St. Andrew's Church, per Lawson.
Clothing, Mrs. Caton.
Cakes and fruit, I.O.O.F.
Cakes, meats and bread, A. O. U. W.
Two hoods, jacket, box of toys and baby's buggy, Miss Gladys Ida Bush.
Two boxes of grapes, J. & A. Clearihue.
Truck for removal, Victoria Transfer Co.
Carriages, removal of children, Geo. Winter.

DECEMBER, 1893.

Apples and pears, Mr. G. Rogers.
Four scarfs, Mrs. Kent.
Seven pairs of home-knitted stockings and four under vests, Mrs. Brocklehurst.
Two boxes of rubbers, Mr. Flumerfelt.
Clothing, Mrs. Cameron.
10 loaves of bread, Mrs. Anderson.
Box with clothes, dishes, 5 table and 6 small forks, 8 tea and 2 dessert spoons and cruet stand, Mrs. F. W. Vincent.
Hair for pillows, Mrs. McCulloch.
Toys and candies, Mrs. N. P. Snowden
Roast of beef and goose, Lieut. Gov. and Mrs. Dewdney.
Box of oranges and figs, Mrs. H. Dumbleton.
Box of oranges, two pots of honey, three boxes Xmas candies, Mrs. Hy. Croft.
Box of fancy biscuits, Dr. Milne.
Half of a sheep, Mr. Parker.
Xmas cards, Mrs. Scrowcroft.
One dollar, Mr. Burt.
Messrs. M. & H. A. Fox, toys.
Toys, Mrs. W. Williams.
Four boxes of oranges, Messrs. J. & A. Clearihue.
Vegetables, jam, books and toys, Mrs. McCulloch.
Toys and candies, Mr. and Mrs. Shakespeare.
Toys and seven dressed dolls, the Misses Earle & Askew.
Roast of Pork and sack of onions, a friend.
Nuts, crackers and oranges, Messrs. Fell & Co.
Two boxes of oranges and candies, Mrs. Mundorf.
33 white muslin pinafores, 3 corset waists and 12 woolen ties, Mrs. W. Bickford.

24 pairs of woolen gloves, Dr. J. S. Helmcken.

Large box of figs, 1 seed cake, 1 sultana cake, mince pies, 2 doz. bags of candy and 3 books, Mrs. Thos. Earle.

Clothing, Mrs. Christie.

Vegetables, Mr. Knowles.

Fixing electric bell, R. B. McMicking.

Free use of Theatre, Robert Jamieson.

Illuminated Prayer, "Colonist" Printing Co.

HISTORY OF THE HOME.

At the laying of the foundation stone in June last, the Right Rev. Bishop Cridge, at the request of your committee, prepared a brief history of the rise and progress of this institution, which, with other things, were placed in the cavity of the corner stone. Now, as none of us desire or expect to see the original document again, it may be interesting to preserve a copy in this place. The Bishop wrote:

"By the fraternal hands of the Masonic body, ever renowned for kind and charitable deeds, we, the managers and members of the 'Protestant Orphan's Home,' giving all glory to God, lay to-day the foundation stone of a noble edifice for a noble cause. Should this history, which, with other memorials, is deposited therein, come to light in a future time, we reach forth to our brethren of that time, testifying to the divine goodness which has helped us thus far.

"It was a day of small things when the need of such an institution pressed itself on the Protestants of Victoria; yet this very straitness, by urging them to unite, has proved a blessing in disguise rather than a disadvantage.

"Although our Catholic brethren were first in the field in a public way, with ever open doors for destitute children, it was none the less our duty to relieve them of a charge which justly devolved upon ourselves.

"It was in the summer of 1873, just twenty years ago, that the then senior ministers of the Protestant body in Victoria—the Rev. Wm. Pollard, Methodist; the Rev. S. Macgregor, Presbyterian; and the Rev. Dean Cridge, Episcopal—had their attention drawn to this need, a need which they were the better prepared to deal with through their having been accustomed to hold weekly conferences on subjects of common interest. Standing together one day at the parsonage gate in Humboldt street, the question arose in this form:

"Seeing that neither of our bodies is strong enough in itself to found the Home, could it be done if we were to unite? A pause ensued, and then Mr. Macgregor said in his quiet way, 'I think it might be done.' All agreeing, they called together three lay members of each church with the result that a provisional committee of twelve was formed, who forthwith proceeded to frame a constitution. If any difficulties had been apprehended on the religious element, none such appeared. A ladies' committee of twelve, four from each church, was also formed, and the scheme, given to the public, met with immediate approval and support. Victoria, God bless her, ever famous for her prompt and ready help to the needy and distressed, did not fail in this. Annual subscriptions, collections by maidens, gifts in kind, larger donations from divers public bodies, ever kept the treasury supplied. Help came from other parts of the Province. It were too long to tell of kind

physicians and others who have rendered their services freely, or of those who have made the orphans partakers in many a scene of innocent pleasure.

"As to the operations of the society, its beginnings were unpretentious. The children, including those who had been previously maintained by private subscriptions, were lodged in private houses. We then rented, and soon purchased, the property in Rae street, the mortgage on which being speedily cleared off, the old building was taken down, and the present Home erected in its stead. Each succeeding year found us more prosperous, until the bequest of the late John G. Taylor, ever a tender friend of the orphans, enabled us to aspire to a building and grounds more suited to our advanced condition.

"The religious constitution of the Home requires more than a passing notice.

"As to its government, the representation is by churches and not by congregations; and its fundamental principle is ministerial equality, the founders following in this, as we believe, the law of our Lord, who said: 'One is your Master, even Christ, and all ye are brethren.'

"By this means a close and tender relation obtains between the Home and the Household of Faith, whose ministers, in turn, are the pastors and teachers of the little flock. The Christian women of the churches, imbued with one spirit of love to the little ones, wisely and patiently minister to their needs, and the matrons, especially the beloved sister now in charge, are their true mothers.

"There is one event, of quite recent occurrence, which, as it is altogether unprecedented in our history, ought not to be omitted.

"The presence of the Right Reverend Bishop Perrin, the latest bishop in the Anglican Communion in this Province, appearing on the same platform and for the same cause, with the pioneer of Methodism at a time when our country was not yet called British Columbia, namely, the Reverend E. Robson, is a sign of a liberal spirit on his part, which, from his previous reputation, we were not unprepared to witness; but his uniting also with the Masonic body, of which he is so distinguished a member, and in which he is exercising so impressive a function—in bestowing a benediction on this Protestant Home—may we hope be regarded as a step to that unity which its founders sought, and not unsuccessfully, to attain in adopting as their guide the Sixth Article of the Church of England.

"We conclude with the earnest hope and prayer that within the walls which are now rising, hymns of praise from children's tongues may resound through all remaining time to the glory of their kind and gentle Shepherd, Jesus Christ, our Lord."

FIRST COMMITTEE, 1873—PROVISIONAL.

Armstrong, Hon. W. J.,	Mrs. Cridge,
Cridge, Rev. Dean,	Mrs. Dupont,
Langley, A. J., J. P.,	Mrs. Kent,
Macdonald, Hon. W. J.,	Mrs. W. J. Macdonald,
Jessop, J.,	Mrs. Jeffree,
McMillan, J. E., J. P.,	Mrs. Pollard,
Pollard, Rev. W.,	Mrs. Sargison,
Spencer, D.,	Mrs. Stafford,
Macgregor, Rev. S.	Mrs. Finlayson,
Munro, Alex.,	Mrs. McGregor,
Robson, J., M. P. P.,	Mrs. Raymur,
Wallace, R.	Mrs. Watt.

BOYS' IN HOME, JANUARY, 1894.

No.	Surname.	Christian Name.	Date Received.	Age when Admitted. Yrs.	M.
1	Brown	Thomas John	December 15, 1888	4	9
2	Brown	George	December 15, 1888	3	6
3	Grant	Neil	November 6, 1889	2	7
4	Lusk	Thomas	July 17, 1890	2	2
5	Thomas	William James	December 29, 1891	7	.
6	Thomas	Robert Henry	December 29, 1891	5	.
7	Caffery	William	July 28, 1891	6	.
8	Allard	David	November 24, 1891	3	.
9	Johnson	Alber	January 26, 1891	4	8
10	Salton	Thomas	July 1, 1892	9	5
11	White	Frank	November 18, 1892	1	1
12	Butler	Roy	December 2, 1892	6	.
13	Hodgson	Elgin	August 30, 1893	7	.
14	Thomas	Charles	December 14, 1893	5	6
15	Thomas	Walter	December 14, 1893	3	3
16	Piper	Cyril Lawson	March 11, 1893	5	6
17	Piper	Joseph Howard	March 11, 1893	3	11
18	Piper	Philip John Thomas	March 11, 1893	1	7
19	Emerson	Henry	October 4, 1893	4	.
20	Emerson	George Macauley	October 4, 1893	2	.
21	Clemes	Henry	December 23, 1893	4	4
22	Tanner	Stephen Ernest	January 28, 1893	10	.

GIRLS' IN HOME, JANUARY, 1894.

No.	Surname.	Christian Name.	Date Received.	Age when Admitted. Yrs.	M.
1	Perkins	Dolly	August 8, 1882	1	5
2	Philips	Annie	April 9, 1883	3	.
3	Smith	Katie	July 4, 1885	5	.
4	Smith	Hannah	July 4, 1885	4	.
5	Smith	Isabella	July 4, 1885	1	4
6	St. Clair	Flora	December 30, 1885	6	.
7	Christopher	Hellen	October 17, 1887	5	.
8	Beauchamp	Nellie	November 19, 1888	6	.
9	Beauchamp	Madge	November 19, 1888	3	.
10	Allardice	Frances	March 14, 1889	2	.
11	Edgerton	Ada	March 14, 1889	7	.
12	Edgerton	Gertie	March 14, 1889	4	6
13	Edgerton	Jane	March 14, 1889	3	.
14	Connant	Della	November 17, 1890	9	2
15	Connant	Martha	November 17, 1890	7	5
16	Grant	Christina	May 2, 1890	.	9
17	Lusk	Lena	July 17, 1890	6	2
18	Lusk	Nellie	July 17, 1890	3	9
19	Cafferey	Mary	July 28, 1891	9	.
20	Salton	Isabella	July 1, 1892	7	3
21	Allardice	Ethel	October 21, 1892	4	3
22	Clemes	Nellie	October 21, 1893	8	2
23	Lambert	Lottie	January 3, 1894	11	.
24	Lambert	Alice	January 3, 1894	7	.

FORMAL OPENING OF THE NEW HOME.

The following extract from a local newspaper giving a brief report of the formal opening of the New Home on November 18th, 1893, may be interesting reading to our friends:

> "Kind wishes and good deeds, they make not poor,
> They'll home again full laden to thy door."

A more perfect day than yesterday could not well have marked the occasion of the formal opening of the new and handsome Protestant Orphans' Home, and consequently the event was largely attended, both by those in active sympathy with the objects of the institution and the general public. The members of the executive, ladies and gentlemen, had made every preparation for the reception and entertainment of the visitors, with the result that friends of the Home went away thoroughly pleased, and the lady or gentleman who had came to see what the place is like, was pleasantly surprised with what there is to see.

The formal proceedings of dedication commenced about 2:30 o'clock, there being present on the platform of the large hall or convocation room, the President, Mr. F. H. Worlock, Rt. Rev. Bishop Cridge, Hon. Robert Beaven, M.P.P., Mayor of Victoria; Mr. Thos. Earle, M.P.; Mr. Chas. Hayward, Mr. James Hutcheson, Rev. Dr. Campbell, Revs. W. D. Barber, E. Robson and G. W. Taylor.

In a few happy phrases Mr. Worlock welcomed the large gathering, and referred to the success which had crowned the efforts of the committee of the Home,

whose work, however, on entering the handsome structure was not yet ended. There remained still a great deal to be done, a number of wants to be supplied, but in this as in other things, he felt that those who had helped the Home in the past would continue to aid it.

Right Rev. Bishop Cridge also spoke briefly, referring to the fact that he was probably the oldest of the first movers in the organization of the Home; and of the pleasure it gave him to see it reach such proportions. He was always glad to see the children, and always took a deep interest in them, but was doubly pleased to welcome them and their friends into this new Home.

The Venerable Bishop then invoked the blessing of God upon the Home and its inmates:

"O God, the Father of lights," the prayer ascended, "we bless Thee that Thou hast been graciously pleased to fulfil the desires of Thy humble servants in bringing these orphan and destitute children to the House which through Thy mercy has been built for their reception, that they may be trained for usefulness in the present life and for immortal glory in that which is to come.

"We now therefore, O our God, dedicate this Protestant Orphans' Home to Thee for Thy honor and glory, depending only on Thy watchful care for the fulfilment of our avowed purpose that in their religious education the children may be taught Thy pure word alone, and so through Thy grace be enabled to enter through the door of faith into the spiritual Kingdom of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.

"Which things if Thou wilt be graciously pleased to grant, to Thee, O God, Father, Son and Holy Ghost, be all the praise both now and for evermore. Amen."

The children, who had opened the proceedings with a sweetly sung hymn, then sang the Doxology, and the formal part of the dedication was brought to a close, the visitors next proceeding through and inspecting the

building. There was nothing but praise to bestow on the various details of the Home, everything being perfection itself in the matter of cleanliness, neatness and light. In the various class rooms a neat and expert hand had inscribed welcoming words and appropriate quotations, arranged by Miss Agnes Dean Cameron, and in the largest of these rooms the ladies' committee had tables laid temptingly, laden with numerous delicacies, which were generally discussed by the visitors and pronounced, with everything else in the structure, simply perfect.

In and about the building much remains to be done in the way of new furniture, fencing, laying out the grounds and other matters, for which the management confidently relies on the support of the friends who have in the past never failed to respond to an appeal for assistance. The home at present sustains about fifty orphans who are destitute, and there are additions constantly being made to the number. These children are not merely housed and fed, but are given a good practical education to fit them for competition with the world in earning their living after they leave the sheltering care of the Home.

- BRITISH COLUMBIA -

PROTESTANT ORPHANS' HOME.

Incorporated under the "Benevolent Societies Act, 1891."

CONSTITUTION.

1. This Institution shall be called the "British Columbia Protestant Orphans' Home."

2. The object of this Institution is to receive and to provide a home for orphan, destitute and other children requiring such care; and to educate them in the Protestant faith, and instruct them in the elements of secular knowledge.

3. All persons contributing the sum of Two Dollars and Fifty Cents (and upwards) per annum to its funds shall be members of the Society and entitled to vote at its meetings.

4. The following shall be the Officers and Committee of Management of the Society until the election of their successors in 1894:—

F. H. WORLOCK, ESQ., President.
CHARLES HAYWARD, ESQ., Honorary Secretary.
JAMES HUTCHESON, ESQ., Honorary Treasurer.

COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT:

The Right Reverend Bishop Cridge, F. H. Worlock, Esq., P. R. Brown, Esq., Charles Hayward, Esq.,	Representing the Episcopal Churches.
Rev. P. McF. McLeod, Rev. Dr. Campbell, James Hutcheson, Esq., H. Carmichael, Esq.,	Representing the Presbyterian Churches.
Rev. Solomon Cleaver, Rev. E. Robson, Noah Shakespeare, Esq., Henry Jewell, Esq.,	Representing the Methodist Churches.

LADIES COMMITTEE:

Mrs. G. A. Sargison, Mrs. Mary Williams, Mrs. Thomas Earle, Mrs. Frank Adams,	Representing the Methodist Churches.
Mrs. James Hutcheson, Mrs. G. L. Milne, Mrs. Sarah Clark, Mrs. E. M. Gillespie,	Representing the Presbyterian Churches.
Mrs. Edward Cridge, Mrs. D. W. Higgins, Mrs. Charles Kent, Mrs. Charles Hayward,	Representing the Episcopal Churches.

5. The management of this Institution shall be vested in a Committee chosen from the subscribers at the annual meeting to be called by the Secretary in January of each year, said Committee to consist of four representatives from each Protestant denomination in Victoria, of whom at least one shall be a Clergyman,

and not fewer than two Laymen, and one-third of whom shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of general business.

6. It shall be the duty of such Committee at their first meeting, to be held not later than one week after their election, to appoint from their own number a President, Secretary and Treasurer ; to meet at least once a quarter, and oftener if required ; to provide for the support of the Institution by means of voluntary contributions and otherwise, as they may deem advisable.

7. The Committee shall also, at their first meeting after election, appoint a committee of ladies composed of an equal number from each denomination to superintend the internal management of the Institution. Such committee of ladies shall appoint their officers and make regulations equitably according to the spirit of this Constitution and the basis on which the Association is formed.

8. The religious training of these orphans shall be conducted according to the doctrines and tenets held by the orthodox Protestant Churches. In this Constitution those Churches are esteemed orthodox which held as the foundation of their faith the sufficiency and authority of the Holy Scriptures for salvation—Holy Scriptures being the commonly received books of the Old and New Testaments,—so that, whatsoever is not read therein or may not be proved thereby, is not to be required of any that it should be believed as an article of the Christian faith or be thought requisite or necessary to salvation (Art. 6, Ch. of Eng.); and which also hold the Articles of the Apostles' Creed as truths of our com-

mon redemption, on the ground that they may be proved by most certain warrants of Holy Scripture. All therefore, who hold any office or authority as over the orphans shall be and continue to be Protestants of good character and sound in the faith. A form of prayers prepared for the purpose, together with portions of the Old and New Testament Scriptures, shall be read morning and evening daily.

9. The orphans shall, in charge of the matron, regularly attend divine service on Sunday (mornings) in the Victoria Churches of such of the orthodox Protestant denominations as are or shall be from time to time represented on the General Committee, as follows :—That is to say, the attendance shall be given in quarterly (trimontly) periods at the services of each such denomination in succession. In the case of any such denomination having regular services in more than one church in Victoria, the quarter's attendance pertaining to that denomination may be equally divided among its several churches. Attendances at these services and at any other times shall be in the discretion of the General Committee, as shall also other questions or exceptional cases that may from time to time arise.

10. One Minister of each Protestant denomination as aforesaid, in quarterly rotation, shall be the Minister or Chaplain of the orphans, with pastoral authority over them for that time as over a portion of his own flock, providing he does not in the exercise of such authority violate any Rule of this Constitution.

11. No alteration shall be made in this Constitution except by a vote of a majority of the whole Committee

confirmed by a majority of the subscribers present at a general meeting, of which thirty days' notice shall be given. Such notice to intimate the changes recommended for the consideration of the meeting.

12. It shall be lawful for the Committee from time to time to make, vary and alter by-laws for the government of the Institution, and for all matters and things relating to the conduct and management of its affairs, provided that the same be not inconsistent with the foregoing Constitution, and that notice of any proposed alteration be given at a meeting of the Committee at least five days previously to such alteration being made.

BY-LAWS.

1. At all meetings of the members of this Society ten shall form a quorum for the transaction of any business, and the consent of a majority in numbers of those present at any such meeting (at which a quorum shall be present) shall be necessary for the passage of any resolution. Notice of annual and all other meetings of the members shall be given by publication in one Victoria daily paper, duly signed by the Secretary, and giving at least thirty-six hours notice of such meeting.

2. The Committee of Management shall have full charge of all the affairs of the Institution, but shall not sell, mortgage, exchange or otherwise dispose of any real property belonging to the Society until a resolution to that effect has been duly passed at a meeting of the

members. They shall fill up all vacancies in their own body, in the Ladies Committee, or any Standing Committee.

3. The President shall preside at all meetings, enforce order, appoint all Committees not otherwise provided for, countersign all drafts on the Treasurer, and together with the Committee, have general supervision of the Institution.

4. It shall be the duty of the Secretary to collect all debts due the Society, canvass for subscriptions and other assistance for the Home, and hand the same to the Treasurer, taking his receipt for the same; to attend all meetings and keep a correct record of the same; report at the annual meeting an account of all business transacted during the year, the number of inmates, their names, sex and age, and the general condition of the Home. He shall have the custody of the corporate seal, and shall attach the same when required to do so by resolution of the Committee or the members. He shall have power to appoint an assistant to assist him in the discharge of his duties, at such remuneration as the Committee may from time to time, by resolution, determine. At the close of his term of office he shall turn over all books, papers or other property of the Society in his possession to his successor.

5. It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to receive all money collected by the Secretary, giving a receipt for same, keeping a just and true account of all financial transactions of the Society, and deposit the funds in some bank that the Committee may select, and pay the same out by order of the Committee, on drafts made by

the Secretary and countersigned by the President. He shall render a full account, and make a complete report at the close of his term, handing over all money, books and papers in his charge to his successor in office.

6. In case of the sickness or absence of any of the Officers, the Committee or members may fill up the vacancy *pro. tem.*, and the person so appointed may perform the duties of the office until relieved by the proper incumbent.

7. The Ladies Committee shall have power, and it shall be their duty (subject to the approval of the General Committee) to superintend the internal business of the Home ; to make, alter and amend By-Laws or Rules for the proper guidance of the Matron and other employees, and for the discipline and control of the inmates ; to exhibit in the public office at the Home, the House Rules, time tables, bill of fare, etc., in force for the time being ; also the name, age and sex of all the children and when and how received ; to elect their own servants and officers ; to meet at least once a month ; to receive and consider all accounts for supplies, etc., and after approval forward the same to the Secretary for payment.

8. There shall be a Standing Committee composed of the President, Secretary, Treasurer, and two of their own members elected by the Ladies Committee, to whom all applications for admission to the benefits of the Home shall be referred, and whose duty it shall be to make careful enquiry into each case, and admit or refuse the applicants ; taking care that preference be given (if

necessary) to children who have lost both parents, and have resided longest in British Columbia. In very urgent cases the Officers may admit to the Home subject to the approval of the General Committee at the first meeting thereafter ; but no child shall under any circumstances be admitted to the privileges of the Home until examined by a regular medical practitioner and an order obtained from the Secretary or one of the Officers.

9. These By-Laws may be altered or amended by a majority vote of those present at any meeting of the Committee, provided that written notice of such amendment or alteration has been given at a meeting held not less than five days previously.

Certified correct as passed at an authorized meeting of the members held this 27th day of November, A. D. 1893, in the City of Victoria, B. C.

FRED'K H. WORLOCK,
President.

CHAS. HAYWARD,
Honorary Secretary.

Filed (in duplicate) this 29th day of November, 1893.

S. Y. WOOTTON,
Deputy Registrar-General,
Victoria, B. C.

FORMS OF BEQUEST

TO THE

British Columbia Protestant Orphans' Home,

VICTORIA, B. C.

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1. Where Money, Stocks or Securities are concerned.

I give and bequeath unto the Treasurer for the time being of the British Columbia Protestant Orphans' Home, in Victoria, B. C., the sum of $ free of Legacy duty. And I direct that the receipt of the Treasurer for the time being of the said Institution shall be a sufficient discharge for the Legacy, which is to be applied to the general purposes of the said Institution.

2. Where Lands or Houses are concerned.

I give unto the Treasurer of the British Columbia Protestant Orphans' Home, in Victoria, B. C., all those lands, houses and premises known as (here describe them by situation, boundaries, extent and occupation as nearly as possible), to be sold or held by him as the Committee of Management may decide for the benefit of the said Institution.

(The Will or Codicil giving the bequest must be signed by the Testator, in the presence of two Witnesses, who must be present at the same time, and subscribe their names in his presence, and in the presence of each other.)

THIS perspective view of the new Home gives a fair idea of its proportions, but cannot [illegible] the internal arrangements, or the beauty of its surroundings. [illegible] on which it stands, [illegible] as well as nearly the entire east end of the building [illegible] of the estate of the late John G. Taylor, a pioneer, of this city, who, [illegible] whole of his real and personal estate in Mr. P. R. Brown and the late [illegible] British Columbia Protestant Orphans' Home. The Taylor [illegible] of $[illegible]. On receipt of the amount the managers of this [illegible] of the old Home, and in deference to the known wishes of [illegible] it should be expended in the purchase of a suitable site, [illegible] for the accommodation of our children, and steps were im- [illegible] of the following gentlemen [illegible] Esq., and Chas. Hayward, [illegible] Esq., James Hutchinson, Esq., and Chas. [illegible] in their [illegible] of visiting [illegible] Mr. R. [illegible] Thos.

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[illegible] in the way of new furniture, fencing, laying out the [illegible] upon the continued support of the kind [illegible] to their appeals. The Home at present [illegible] of the above fifty destitute [illegible] with the necessary arrangements of the new institution, very little [illegible] on the part of the annual subscribers will enable the managers to operate it to [illegible]

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